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Suche nach Erfüllung und Liebe, auf Reise erlebt. Wolf Richter ist ein begnadigter Erzähler und er schafft es, den Leser mit Tempo, Witz und sehr viel Situationskomik unwiderstehlich zu fesseln. In den Text eingearbeitetes Wissenswertes ber Lnder wie Australien, Neuseeland und natrlich Japan sowie ber die Eigenarten der jeweiligen Einwohner des Landes geben das Ganze noch eine extra Dimension. 5 Sterne!

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